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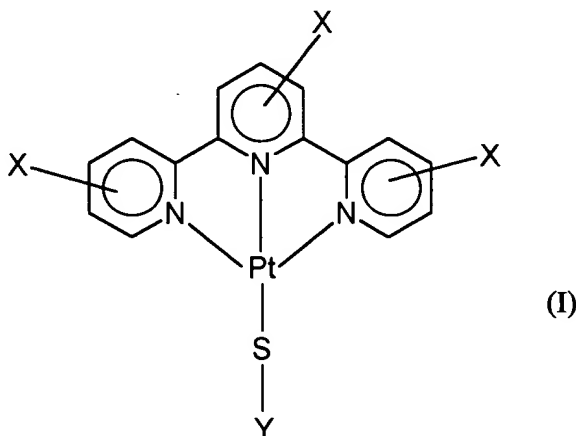
Sir:

In the interest of compact prosecution, please amend the present application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

*Please replace the paragraph beginning at line 7 and ending at line 19 on page 1 of  
the specification with the following rewritten paragraph:*

In a first aspect the present invention provides a compound which is a complex formula  
(I), or an isomer thereof,



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